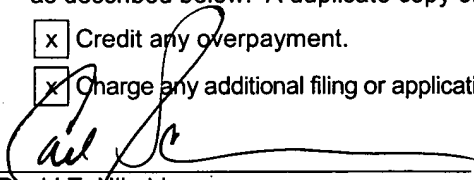




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Application No. 10/692,751-Conf. #8839		Filing Date October 27, 2003		Examiner T. G. Soohoo	
				Art Unit 1723	
Applicant(s): Masakazu UESUGI					
Invention: HOMOGENIZER					
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-4 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1 and 4 are amended.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)